

FOR CONTROL  
OF MANCHURIAChina Sends Message to the  
Powers.

ASKS TO BE CONSULTED

When Japan and Russia Get Together  
to Settle Upon Peace Terms  
— Identical Notes  
Sent.

Washington, July 21.—China's official notification to the powers that she will not recognize any arrangement regarding Manchuria concerning which she has not been consulted beforehand has now reached Washington and will be forthwith forwarded to the President at Oyster Bay. Before addressing this note to the neutral powers China sent to St. Petersburg and Tokio an identical note containing this notification. The Chinese communication is briefly worded and is so expressed that it calls for no reply.

The arrival of the text of the note disposes of the unofficial report reaching Washington recently from Europe that China had requested that she be allowed to participate in the conference.

China's motive in addressing to Russia and Japan such a notification was to remind them that she had never acquiesced in the alienation of Manchuria from Chinese sovereignty and that she expected as the first result of the war the full restoration of Chinese control of that province. That this position might receive the continued support of the neutral powers, copies of the note were forwarded to the other capitals for presentation by the respective Chinese representatives.

Chinese viceroys, governors and diplomatic representatives generally are unanimous in the belief that this restoration should be made unconditionally. They also believe that additional Manchurian ports should be opened to the world's commerce for a limited period and that the powers be asked to waive extra territorial rights in Manchuria in favor of China. If this were done it was recommended that the remainder of Manchuria be declared open to foreign commerce.

Advices reaching Washington indicate that the insistence upon the unconditional restoration of Manchuria without condition favors in the Chinese capital and this opens up an important subject in connection with the Washington conference. Having been the chief zone of operations, Manchuria will naturally figure prominently in the conference. China's insistence that she be consulted about any arrangements concerning Manchuria will if respected by the belligerents, it is believed, necessitate an indirect participation in the negotiations by China.

MORE MUTINEERS DISAPPEAR.

After They Had Been Guaranteed Safety  
From Arrest.

London, July 21.—A Vienna despatch says that advices from Galatz, Roumania, say that eight more members of the former crew of the mutinous Russian battleship, *Kniaz Potemkin*, who have been working in the dockyard at Galatz have disappeared. A Roumanian committee has been formed to protect the former mutineers who were guaranteed safety from arrest on condition of their surrender to the Roumanian authorities.

ARE NEAR SIBERIA.

Russia Hears That Japanese Are About  
to Land.

London, July 21.—A St. Petersburg despatch announces that the landing of Japanese troops in Siberia is imminent. It is expected that military operations will be transferred to the coast in the very near future as that is where the Russians are weakest.

MANY RUSSIANS CAPTURED.

Over 400 Including Officers Taken by  
Japanese.

Tokio, July 21.—It is officially announced that four hundred and sixteen Russians on the island of Sakhalin, which the Japanese troops have recently seized, have surrendered. Fifteen officers are included among the number.

ARE IN CONFERENCE.

Secretary of State Root Met President  
Roosevelt Today.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 21.—Secretary of State Root came here today to see the President. He will remain overnight. Among the important questions that the President and his prime minister will discuss is the proposed transfer of the Panama canal from the jurisdiction of the war, to that of the state department. If Mr. Root will assume the additional work and responsibility that such a transfer will involve it is believed that the President will be glad to order the change made.

STIFLING HEAT PREVAILS.

Many Deaths from Excessive Weather  
in Spain.

Madrid, July 21.—Stifling heat prevails throughout Spain, especially in the province of Andalusia. Many deaths have resulted from the excessively hot weather.

## AS PROTECTIVE MEASURE.

Was the Placing of Rutland Street Rail-  
way in Receiver's Hands.

Rutland, July 21.—David Fox, general manager of the Rutland Street Railway company, stated yesterday that the application of Douglas Robinson, receiver for the Merchants' Trust Co., of New York, for a receiver for the Rutland street railway made at Burlington Wednesday was made chiefly to protect the interests of the company which he represented. The street railway property, Fox said, is proving profitable and it has been understood investors have been giving it some attention with a view of possible purchase. To prevent such a transfer which might not be for the advantage of the trust company, Robinson decided to ask for a receiver.

In further explanation Mr. Fox, notice of whose appointment as receiver came from Burlington during the forenoon, said the People's Gas Light company and the Chittenden Power company although allied with the street railway company were in no wise involved in the receivership. Fox was of the opinion the receivership would continue until the Merchants' Trust company's interests had been satisfied through disposal of such assets as might be necessary. It was not improbable, in Fox's opinion, that a reorganization of the street railway company might take place. Fox stated also that Robinson was the only one claiming authority to give out a statement of the financial condition of the street railway company.

## BODY TAKEN TO RANDOLPH.

J. W. Gabrielle Who Died at St. Albans  
of Apoplexy.

Randolph, July 21.—The body of J. W. Gabrielle was brought here yesterday afternoon from St. Albans, where he died at the city hospital Wednesday evening with apoplexy. Mr. Gabrielle left here Monday morning with his wife for St. Albans where he was stricken with apoplexy which developed into paralysis and caused his death. Mr. Gabrielle, one of Randolph's respected citizens, was 62 years old and has been a resident of this place for 36 years, coming here from Riverport, Conn. With his father, William Gabrielle, he conducted the Cottage Hotel for several years succeeding A. H. Beedle. For the past 25 years he had travelled for E. W. Hunt of Boston, a wholesale liquor concern. His first wife was Miss Caroline Chadwick and after her death, he married her sister, Miss Susie Chadwick, who with one son, Charles, survives him. Mr. Gabrielle was well known throughout the State among traveling men and for his connection with Masonry, where he had attained a high degree.

FAIL TO FIND NOTE  
FOR OVER HALF MILLIONNew York Bank Examiner Looks in  
Vain for Note Alexander Said Was  
Carried by Trust Company.

New York, July 21.—A new complication in Equitable affairs appeared yesterday when A. C. Judson, the state bank examiner, declared that there is no record on the books of the Mercantile Trust Company of the \$653,000 loan which the president of the company testified before Supt. Hendricks, had been carried by the company for five or six years in the name of Alexander and Jordan as trustees.

Supt. Hendricks asked H. C. Deming, president of the Mercantile Trust company about a loan of about \$700,000, which it was said the trust company carried for the Equitable. Mr. Deming replied that he supposed the loan referred to was one that stood in the names of Alexander and Jordan, which had been carried for from five to six years, and varied in amount, the average being between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

William A. Day, appointed by Paul Morton to succeed Thomas D. Jordan, removed from the office of controller of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, has assumed his duties.

## HIT IN THE HEAD.

Capt. F. D. Weld of Brattleboro Was  
Badly Injured.

Brattleboro, July 21.—Capt. Fred D. Weld, formerly captain of the old First battery, was the victim of a serious accident soon after 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. By direction of Chief Engineer H. W. Sanders of the fire department, the steamer which the village recently bought of the Estey Organ Co. was taken out to be tested at the Main street reservoir. Captain Weld was engineer. He started the engine, but the suction failed to work and he ran the engine at a high speed in order to create a vacuum in the suction pipe. Suddenly the fly wheel near the engineer broke from the hub and struck Captain Weld under the left ear, knocking him against one of the big wheels, which cut a deep gash in the outer side of his head. The fly wheel weighed about forty pounds and the force of the blow rendered Captain Weld unconscious. He fell to the ground and it was some time before he recovered consciousness. Then he was taken to the Memorial hospital.

## KILLED WHILE BATHING.

Fall River Man Struck Rock and His  
Skull Was Fractured.

Fall River, Mass., July 21.—James Heywood, 45 years, lost his life yesterday while swimming in Solly pond. Heywood, in diving from the bank of the pond, struck a rock, that fractured his skull and caused almost instant death. He leaves a widow and four children.

## AMERICAN BEATEN.

W. A. Larned, Tennis Man, Down Before  
Englishman.

London, July 21.—In the challenge round for the Durgel T. Davis cup played at Wimbledon today, Smith of the English team, defending the cup, beat W. A. Larned, American, three sets to one.

END FIGHT  
OF 3 MONTHSGreat Teamsters' Strike In  
Chicago Finished.

STRIKERS SURRENDER

First Break in Ranks Came Yesterday  
When Lumber Teamsters Returned  
to Work—Vote This  
Morning.

Chicago, July 21.—The teamsters' strike, that has so greatly disturbed business conditions in Chicago for the last 105 days, was, at 12:30 o'clock this morning officially declared off by the teamsters' joint council.

The men have been ordered to seek their old positions and it is estimated that less than one-half of them will be re-employed. The strikers have made a complete surrender and will apply for work as individuals and without an agreement of any kind with their employers.

The first break came yesterday when the lumber teamsters voted to return to work regardless of what action might be taken by any other union. Last night the department store drivers and the railway express drivers voted to call off the strike. It is expected that about 60 per cent of the department store drivers will be reinstated.

The employers say that only such men will be taken back as are needed after the non-union men have been provided for, and that the question of wearing union buttons must be left to the individual employer.

GOVERNMENT LOST  
ON IRISH QUESTIONPremier Balfour Hasn't Decided Whether  
to Resign—Scene of Confusion in  
Parliament After the  
Vote.

London, July 21.—Premier Balfour will summon the cabinet for a meeting at which it will be decided whether the ministry will resign or shall demand a new vote on the question of reduction of membership of Irish land commission on which the government was defeated in the House of Commons last night. Conservative newspapers advise the government to continue in office while the liberal papers declare that Balfour will endanger the British constitution if he fails to resign.

When the House met this morning the opposition unsuccessfully attempted to follow up the advantage gained last night and tried to force the government to give some idea of its intention. Premier Balfour was received by a great ovation from his followers when he entered the chamber. He gave no indication, however, of what his intentions are in regard to resigning.

On the announcement of the vote last night a scene of the greatest excitement was produced by the liberals and the Irish members yelling "resign." The incident is considered hardly of sufficient importance to justify the government in resigning, but when asked by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the leader of the opposition, what course he intended to pursue, Premier Balfour declined to make a statement.

John Redmond, leader of the Irish party said the premier had repeatedly declared that he would resign if defeated, and that if he disregarded this vote of want of confidence, he would be acting against all precedents. Was he going to swallow this humiliation as he swallowed every other humiliation in the last few years, the premier was asked by Mr. Redmond.

Mr. Balfour, replying coolly, said that Mr. Redmond had greatly agitated himself over a matter which could be settled in due time. He was, he said, not conscious of any humiliation. There would be ample opportunity within a few hours of proving whether the government still enjoyed the confidence of the majority of the house. The premier said he would consult his colleagues as to whether the question would again be submitted to a vote, and would make a statement Monday.

## Reported to Have Resigned.

London, July 21.—It is reported that the cabinet at today's meeting decided to resign. There is no confirmation of the report.

## FORMER GUARD ACCUSED.

Harrison McCormick Said to Have Fur-  
nished Supplies to Convicts.

Windsor, July 21.—Harrison McCormick, an ex-guard at the state prison, was arrested in Brattleboro yesterday by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Kinney of this place, on the charge of furnishing supplies to the convicts without consent of the prison authorities and was taken to Woodstock, where he was released on bail of \$500. It is probable that he will not be tried until the December term of county court.

## SKULL FRACTURED BY BASE BALL.

Rutland Man Is Now in a Precarious  
Condition.

Rutland, July 21.—Walter B. Mills, superintendent of the Rutland, Florence Marble Co., was struck on the base of the skull by a batted ball while playing with a few friends last evening. He is unconscious this morning and a fracture of the skull is feared.

TO ENTERTAIN  
GOVERNORSSix Southerners Coming to  
St. Johnsbury Next Fall.

FOR THE COUNTY FAIR

Distinguished Party Will Be Joined by  
Executives From New England  
States—Gov. Vardaman  
Coming.

St. Johnsbury, July 21.—H. L. Stanley, secretary and treasurer of the Caledonia County Fair Association, this morning announced that the Caledonia county fair on September 29 will be visited by a party of distinguished Southerners, including the governors of six states, among whom is Governor Vardaman of Mississippi, whose caustic speeches and remarks have been the cause of much discussion recently. The Southerners are invited north by the New Hampshire State Fair association and the Southern Pacific railway. Their purpose is to tell of the agricultural, mineral and other products of their sections.

The opportunity to come to Vermont was accepted when invitation was sent by the Caledonia Fair association. The Concord, N. H., fair opens on September 12, and the St. Johnsbury fair on September 20. Both are expected to be monster affairs.

In the party will be Governor Blanchard of Louisiana who was with Governor Bell at the Riggs House in Washington during the inauguration of President Roosevelt last March. The two executives were thrown much in each other's company during the inauguration.

Those who have accepted are Governor N. B. Brown of Florida, who will tell something of the success reached there in raising oranges and other tropical fruits; Governor N. C. Blanchard of Louisiana, who will describe the great cotton and cane industries of his state, where sugar is notably a great product; Governor James K. Vardaman of Mississippi, who will give some idea of the cotton industry there, as will Governor Jefferson Davis of his state, Arkansas. Governor R. B. Glenn of North Carolina will tell of his tar, pitch and turpentine industries, and his famous golden leaf tobacco. He will also describe his many resorts which Northern capital has built and made successful. Governor William M. O. Dawson of West Virginia will have much to say regarding the grains, wheat, corn, etc., raised in his state, as well as something about the coal mines, etc. Other governors in the party also will throw light on the industrial and agricultural conditions of their respective states. The governors of all of the New England states have been included in the invitation to visit the New Hampshire and Vermont fairs.

## WEDDED AT ST. ALBANS.

Daughter of Ex-Gov. J. G. Smith Bride  
of W. B. Fonda.

St. Albans, July 21.—A wedding of interest to society people was solemnized at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride, the contracting parties being Miss Annie Brainerd Smith, daughter of the late ex-Gov. and Mrs. John Gregory Smith and W. Beecher Fonda.

The bride is one of St. Albans' best known women, who is beloved for her many charitable works and has hosts of friends among all classes. The groom is one of Vermont's most successful business men and is identified with many of the large business enterprises in Vermont and New England. The ceremony, which consisted of a simple religious service, was performed by the Rev. Dr. Norman Seaver of Rutland and was witnessed only by members of the immediate families. Mr. and Mrs. Fonda left last evening for New York and after an extensive wedding trip will be at home at the old home of the bride on Smith street.

WEALTHY AUTOIST  
KILLED LAST NIGHTM. T. Hancock Was Speeding His Ma-  
chine to 40 Miles an Hour  
When He Struck a  
Team.

Los Angeles, July 21.—M. T. Hancock, the millionaire plow manufacturer, was killed and his wife and two sons badly injured in an automobile accident late last night. The family in a large machine was speeding about forty miles an hour when the automobile collided with a buggy and swerved into a telephone pole. Hancock's skull was broken and he died in a few minutes.

The occupants of the buggy were seriously hurt and may die.

## TRIED SUICIDE.

Fiancee of a New York "Bluebeard,"  
Made Attempt.

New York, July 21.—Eleanor Van Deventer, fiancee of Frederick E. Carlton of Brooklyn, the so-called "Bluebeard," made an attempt at suicide today by trying to jump from the window of Inspector Cross' room at police headquarters at Brooklyn, after having been cross-examined by the inspector.

## RUELBACH IS HERE.

Former Intercity Star Is Visiting the  
Scenes of Former Triumphs.

Fresh from his three to one victory over Boston yesterday, Pitcher Ed. Ruelbach of the Chicago National league team, known as Sheldon, the "boy wonder," of last year's Intercity team, arrived in Montpelier today for a brief visit while his team is playing the East. Ruelbach was warmly greeted by the base ball fans and by his many friends who are not fans. The "big fellow" took the congratulations of his admirers in his usual modest way.

President Greene of the local team said this afternoon that Ruelbach will be at the game this afternoon and that he will appear in uniform. However, it is not likely that he will go into the box against Burlington. He may warm up a little in practice and give the fans a chance to see how he has kept his wing. "Jack" Coombs is slated to do the twirling for the Giants. "Rube" Vickers is expected to put 'em over for Burlington.

Ruelbach has been making a diamond reputation for himself in the two months in which he has been with big league company, justifying the predictions made about him. He has won a major portion of the games in which he has pitched, against the strong and weak teams of the National league. He has not been hailed as the "cub" pitcher of the Chicago team, being put against the league leaders at the start of his big league career.

## E. L. SMITH &amp; CO., PURCHASERS.

Vermont Granite Co., Sells 20 Acres of  
Quarry Land at Auction.

H. K. Bush, receiver for the Vermont Granite Co., sold at public auction yesterday, by order of the court, 20 acres of quarry land on Millstone Hill, for \$20,000. E. L. Smith & Co., being the purchasers. The land adjoins that of E. L. Smith & Co., and is a valuable addition to their already large holdings.

The property was sold as follows:

One piece of quarry land of 15 acres, adjoining E. L. Smith & Co.'s quarries, to E. L. Smith & Co., for \$6,500.

One piece of quarry land of 5 acres, adjoining E. L. Smith & Co.'s dark quarry, to E. L. Smith & Co., for \$2,500.

One piece of dump land of 4 acres to H. Sutor, for \$700.

C. N. Barber was auctioneer.

## INTEREST GROWING.

New Candidate in Class 2, Starts Off  
With 150 Votes.

A new candidate appears in Class 2, in the Times' Quaker Range contest this week in the person of Flora Owen from Barre town, who starts off with 150 votes. Mrs. Cora Preston of Marshfield jumps 200 votes in class 4. The standing to date is:

Class 2.

Miss Flora Owen, Barre town.....150

Mrs. G. McArthur, East Barre.....50

Class 3.

Mrs. Harvey Spear, Chelsea.....139

Class 4.

Mrs. Cora Preston, Marshfield.....450

Mrs. J. M. Southwick, Cabot.....50

Particulars of the contest on page six.

## DR. SMITH'S FUNERAL.

Held at Brandon and Was Largely At-  
tended.

Brandon, July 21.—The funeral of Dr. Ezra A. Smith, who died Monday, was largely attended yesterday afternoon at two o'clock from the Congregational church. The honorary bearers were E. J. Ormsbee, A. F. Smith, L. J. Cahoe, Otis Smith, Walter O. Ray and L. A. Severy. The active bearers were Lucius Nichols, G. H. Churchill, H. C. Carpenter, George H. Young, Dr. J. W. Eastbrook and E. C. Spooner. The Rev. Charles J. Staples of Burlington was the officiating clergyman and Edgar N. Miller had charge of the funeral arrangements. The interment was made at Pine Hill cemetery, where the services were conducted by Mount Calvary Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar. Members of St. Paul's Lodge, No. 25, E. and A. M., Brandon Lodge of Odd Fellows and the Neshelee Grange, of which the deceased was a member, attended the service in a body.

## DIVORCE COURT GRIST.

Caledonia County Court Grants 16 Out  
of 18 Applications.

St. Johnsbury, July 21.—Caledonia county court adjourned yesterday, after being in session since June 6, a very long term. Yesterday 18 divorce suits were heard, and 16 bills were granted.

## DON'T KNOW WHERE HE IS.

Friends and Creditors of Lowell Law-  
rence.

Morrisville, July 21.—Lowell Lawrence who has conducted his mother's farm in the west part of the town for two years, disappeared Tuesday, and nothing has been heard from him since. Some of his creditors think that he has left the state.

## CAME TO GRIEF.

Seven Glidden Tourists Landed in Wor-  
cester Jail.

Worcester, July.—Seven of the Glidden tourists were arraigned in district court this morning and fined \$15 each for overspeeding in the town of Leicester. All paid their fines.

## VAL DAR WON RACE.

Eclipse Stake for Ten Thousand Sov-  
ereigns.

London, July 21.—The race for the Eclipse stake of ten thousand sovereigns, run at Sandown Park today, was won by Val Dar with Starn up; Cicerio, the favorite was second, and Langibby, third.

INSANITY  
DEVELOPEDA. Bizzozzero, Would-be Su-  
icide, In Custody.

WILL BE PUT IN ASYLUM

Became Refractory This Afternoon and  
Papers for Commitment Will Be  
Made Out—Recovering  
From Wounds.

Ambrogio Bizzozzero, the man who attempted to commit suicide last Monday by slashing his throat, became violently insane this afternoon and was lodged in jail until commitment papers could be made out for placing him in the state asylum at Waterbury. He was taken from the Emergency hospital, where he has been since Tuesday, to the home of Caesar Columbus on Cambria street. His condition became such that the people at the house did not have any control over him, so the police were called.

At two o'clock this afternoon Chick Brown and Officer Carle engaged a closed carriage and took Bizzozzero to the police station. Dr. J. E. McSwaney, who is the man's physician, will sign the papers for commitment. The two wounds in Bizzozzero's throat, made with a razor, are healing well, and no trouble is expected from them. Inquiry at the hospital this afternoon brought out the information that the patient was considered well on the road to recovery when he left the hospital.

## CUTTING A MEMORIAL.

E. A. Carusi to Send One to Memphis,  
Tenn.

E. A. Carusi, one of the best carvers of Barre, will begin the cutting of a monument to Dorothea Spotswood (Henry) Winston, eldest daughter of the Colonial patriot, Patrick Henry, from a design by O. W. Lewis & Sons. The monument is being erected by Commodore Perry Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution at Memphis, Tenn., and will set up in a Memphis cemetery. It will stand sixteen feet high, with a three foot base. Standing in relief will be a granite bust of the woman, taken from photograph. A vase surmounts the monument. On the front panel is the name, also the date of birth, August 2, 1775, at Red Hill, Virginia, and the name of the Chapter erecting the memorial with the date of its erection. The monument, while not large, will be one of the most handsome turned out here for some time.

## MATILDA BLANCHARD BAKER.

Died Yesterday After Brief Illness With  
Peritonitis.

A prayer service will be held tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock at 95 Seminary street for the late Mrs. Matilda (Blanchard) Baker, who died yesterday of peritonitis after a brief illness. The body will be taken to Fairlee for burial. The deceased was born in the town of Jay 38 years ago. She leaves a son, Harold, and a daughter, Eva, also a father, Citron Baker, of Richford, three sisters, Mrs. Minnie Adams, Miss Eva Blanchard of Fairlee and Miss Maud Blanchard of Northfield, and one brother, Daniel Blanchard of the last named place.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. A. L. Foster went to Sherbrooke,  
P. Q., today on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldberg went to Bennington today to visit friends.

Arthur C. Averill and son, Harvey, went to Boston today to visit friends.

Edward Anderson and Alex. Emslie went to Montreal last night for a few days' visit.

Mrs. E. A. Prindle and Mrs. J. J. McIver went to Brattleboro this afternoon to visit their brother Andrew Baird, who is quite sick.

B. P. White returned this afternoon from Greensboro pond and Mrs. Minnie M. Wheeler who has been stopping at the Hooker cottage also returned.

The Congregational Baracks and the Wooden ball teams will play on the Goddard campus tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and 15 cents will be charged to see the fun.

An agent for a typewriter made an exit from a prominent local attorney's office faster than his customary progress this forenoon, and his machine followed him at the same pace. The place where the agent and machine landed is not denied.

Joseph A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Champagne, died at 11:30 o'clock last night at his home in Westerville after an operation for an abscess. He was four years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning with burial in the Catholic cemetery in this city.

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for their kindness and help during the sickness and burial of our dear mother; also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Bates.

## Will Arrive Saturday.

Newport, R. I., July 21.—A wireless message from the fleet of warships, conveying John Paul Jones' body home from France, reports that fleet will arrive at Chesapeake cape Saturday morning.